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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: Patrick Dennis Niland
Hitoshi Inoue et al.	)	
	:	Art Unit: 1796
Application No.: 10/540,129	)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 8880
Filed: June 21, 2005	)	
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For: WATER-BASED INKS FOR	)	
INKJET PRINTERS	:	August 14, 2008

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action in the above-identified application dated April 14, 2008, for one month, from July 14, 2008, to August 14, 2008. The amount of \$120.00 to cover the extension fee is being paid electronically. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

In response to the Office Action, please amend the application as follows.